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NEWPORT
DYE-HOUSE.

John H. Clegg

SILK, COTTON, and WOOLLEN DYER.

WOULD respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has taken the DYE HOUSE, formerly occupied by J. Viner, situated in Tanner street, where he is prepared to Dye and finish at 10 days notice in the best manner, the following articles, viz :

Broadcloths, Silks,
Cassimere, Crapes,
Merinos, Sattins,
Circassians, Pongees,
Bombazines, Hosiery
Gloves &c. &c.

Also, permanent colors on carpet yarns
merino, circassian, bombazine, and crape
dresses; gentlemen's woolen garments,
such as dress, frock and great coats, sur-
touts, vests, and pantaloons—died and pres-
erved without ripping.

He will also clean gentlemen's woolen
garments of every description, in a neat
style—merino and Cashmere shawls clean-
ed and whitened, without injury to the
border—carpets and woolen table cloths clean-
ed also.

All articles left at the Dye House in
Tanner Street, or the following Agents
will receive prompt attention.—Mrs. Ann
M. Eddy, next north of the Perry
Factory. A. M. Thomas, Wickford, John
Hedley, Portsmouth.

February 19, 1842.

PROSPECTUS OF
MOORE'S
PROVIDENCE ALMANAC
AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY,
of Providence, Pawtucket, Woonsocket,
Newport, Warren, and Bristol, R. I.,
also of Fall River, Mass.

FOR THE YEAR 1844.

THE above will contain an Almanac
for the year 1844; a Directory of all
the principal Business Men in Prov-
idence, Pawtucket, Newport, Warren,
Bristol and Woonsocket, R. I. and Fall
River, Mass.; a Memoranda for every
day in the year; Register of the State of
R. I.; Government of the City of Prov-
idence; United States Government; List
of Banks in the State of R. I., with the
names of their Presidents, Cashiers, Di-
rectors, &c.; Insurance Offices, Societies
and Institutions, Newspapers, &c.; Courts
in R. I.; List of Towns in R. I., with
their population and distances from Prov-
idence; Stage Routes, Lines of Packets,
Agencies, &c.; Fire Departments; List
of Vessels with their Tonnage; Table of
Streets and Wharves in the city of Prov-
idence; List of Churches with their Minis-
ters; Memoranda of Fires, &c., which
have happened during the present year.
In addition to all this, it will be embellish-
ed with a.

NEW AND SPLENDID ORIGINAL
MAP OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE.

Engraved expressly for this work at a
great expense.

The publisher being determined to have
this work correct, hopes that every person
when called upon, will aid the work by
giving distinctly his name, residence
occupation, &c.

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The Grave of Alaric.

"Let me die—
Steal from the world, and not a stone
Tell where I lie."

"Twas midnight, the Salarian gate had been forced open—the Eternal City had been roused from her slumbers by the clang of the Gothic trumpet. She whose will had long been a law to the world, awoke to view the licentious fury of the tribes of Germany and Scythia.

"To hear her streets resound the cries, pealed from a thousand agonies ! While a strange light of flames that gave A ruddy glow to Tyber's wave Burst out in that terrific hour From lane and palace, dome and tower ?"

Rome, mighty and imperial Rome had bowed her suppliant head before the Gothic King. There all her gorgeous palaces and halls the footsteps of the conquering foe trampled insultingly. The tide of war had passed over the land, and Italy, like the ripe harvest beneath the scythe of the mower, bent beneath the remorseless torrent.

The camp of the victorious band was pitched beneath the walls of Cosenza.—The first faint streaks of day had just appeared, tinged with light the tops of the adjacent Appennines. All was silent round, save the measured tread of some weary sentinel, or as adown the mountains' side some foaming torrent poured its headlong course, and gave a murmuring sound.

Upon the brow of one of the seven hills on which Cosenza is situated, overlooking the sea, stood Alaric, the royal Goth.—His proud heart swelled, and his eye kindled as the forms of past events rose up before him, the battles he had won, the deeds he had done, and the deeds that still remained for him to do. He cast his eyes towards Sicily, and to the more distant coast of Africa—he then turned and gazed below upon his own countless host. As their spears flashed back the morning ray, he thought with a brighter eye, and a quicker pulse, of another war and another victory !

Little did he dream that his sands of life were well nigh run, and that another day of triumph would never dawn for him !

A day past on. In his guarded tent, parched by the burning of fever, and the anguish of unfortunate thirst, lay Alaric, the mighty Goth, the scourge of Italy, helpless as childhood. Beneath his mighty arm, mighty kings had fallen, but a mightier hand than his, is upon him now ! He feels that 'tis his hour of death.

"And Monarch tho' he be,
That he must bend beneath the might of a
(greater king than he.)"

Around his couch his chosen warriors stand, tongueless and motionless, gazing with sad forebodings on the wasting form before them—the sunken cheek—the glazed eye—no longer

"Like Mars to threaten and command."

"A transient gleam lighted up his pallid features as he raised his head and said.

Comrades, I feel the hand of death is on me. I charge you by the common dangers we have shared—by the love you will bear my memory—by every tie of loyalty and affection that binds the soldier to his King, bury me not where any Roman hand can e'er pollute my corpse."

Feebler and feeble grew his tones—his jaws fell—his features became rigid—his eyes turned with a heavier and heavier gaze on all around him—brief convulsive movement passed over his frame—his hand which had been raised as if brandishing "his falchion bright" fell heavily by his side—a few inarticulate words told the sovereignty of death !

His Chieftains gathered, and over his lifeless remains swore to obey his dying injunction. They turned the river Bucento from its course, and in its channel dug a grave. There with the rich spoils of Rome and Italy, they buried Alaric. When they laid his body down.

"With his martial cloak around him."

the river was made to flow again in its original direction. As the glad waters came bounding over his lowly couch on their eternal way, that no evidence should remain of the place of his sepulture, the captives employed in the work, were put to death. The sorrowing chieftains felt their oath had then been fulfilled, that Alaric, the King of the Goths, was indeed no more—but that his body was free from insult and from injury !

At Roduey, Miss. the yellow fever continues to rage in its most fatal form.—All the physicians without exception, have been taken down with the disease. The death of Dr. J. H. Savage is reported, and Dr. Hulse, Dr. Picket, Dr. Williams, Dr. Todd and Dr. Andrews, were all down sick.

Damages.—In the case of the New Haven Steamboat Transportation Company vs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, tried before the Superior Court, sitting at New Haven, on Friday last, the Jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff of \$1500. But Church Judge, said it was too high, and refused to permit it to be recorded.—Thereupon the Jury withdrew to reconsider the matter, and were deliberating at the date of our last advices.

The declaration charged the defendant with causing damage to the steamboat "Belle," owned by the plaintiff, by collision, on the 9th day of June, 1842, through the negligence and carelessness of defendant's servants, then on board and navigating the steamer "New Haven." —
T. J. of Com.

By the Mail.

From the N. Orleans Picayune, Oct. 16th.

GREAT FIRE.

In our paper of yesterday morning there was a very brief and necessarily a very imperfect notice of the fire. Yesterday we made it our duty to learn more fully the particulars, and to ascertain the extent of the loss sustained. We now place the result of the inquiry before our readers, from which it will be seen that property to a very large amount has been consumed. The loss, in most cases, has fallen on industrious men of small means, whose all has been swept away by the conflagration.

The fire originated in a livery stable immediately in the rear of St. Peter street, near Common street, it burned down five houses, double tenements, together with back kitchens, &c., in fact all those on the Northern side of the street, except the corner house on Common street, the one adjoining it, and the small wooden house on the corner of Gravier street.—The five houses burned were the property of Mr. Community, Surveyor of the First Municipality. He had not a cent insured on them. The flames travelling rapidly with the wind, caught those houses situated on the same square in Gravier street, all of which, with two on the South side of St. Paul street, (same square also,) they destroyed. The house burned down in Gravier street next to St. Peter, was owned by Mr. Shute; on this there was an insurance of \$1,000, in the Ocean office.

The next was Thos. Luddy's; he had an insurance of \$1,200 in the Ocean.—The two next were Mr. Debays'—no insurance. The adjoining one, at the corner of St. Paul street, and the next in St. Paul street, south side, were finely finished two story houses, and owned by E. A. Canon. Mr. C. had an insurance of \$4,000 on them, in the Merchants' office.—The next was a very fine dwelling house, with stables, &c., in the rear, owned by William Barnes. Mr. Barnes, unfortunately, was not insured. The fire then crossed over St. Paul street, burning down the houses of John Cass, Mr. Davis and Mr. Kiver, on the East side of Gravier street, on which there was no insurance. It next attacked the square bounded by Gravier, St. Paul, Perdido and Gironde streets, where from the unconnected state of the buildings, and the exertions of the Fire Department it expended its malignity, first consuming the following houses: James Wright's, St. Paul street, between Gravier and Perdido street—no insurance. The two next houses, the property of Mr. Allen, were insured in the Western office, Mr. Mills', corner of St. Paul and Gravier street—no insurance. Mr. Canterbury's—no insurance. Mr. Webber's—insured in the Western office. The next house, insured in the same office, also belonged to him. Mr. Steward's—insured in the Western office. Mr. French's—insured in the western office for \$1200. Mr. Share's—no insurance. The next house, and that adjoining it, at the corner of Gironde street, belonging to Geo. Allen, escaped the fury of the flames. That next to it, in Gironde street, owned by Mr. Murphy, was burned down—no insurance. That next to it, belonging to H. Williams—no insurance; and lastly, the house next to it, belonging to Mr. Shuberberg—\$400 insurance on the furniture, in the Western office.

For the eleven months ending 31st of May, the export of Teas to England, from China, amounted to 46,201,251 pounds.

An extract from a Macao letter, dated 18th June, says—"A proclamation has been posted up at Canton, stating that from that date, all Chinese will be allowed to trade."

FROM HAVEL.—By the French barque

Evelina, Captain Delamare, arrived on Sunday last, from Port au Prince, we received a file of Port Republican papers to the 17th ult. We learn from these

papers, that on the night of the 9th Sept. last, an attempt at a counter-revolution took place there, under the auspices of Colonel Dalzon. Col. Dalzon, about 7 P. M., with a loose collection of soldiers took possession of Fort Alexander, but finding it destitute of powder, and incapable of defence, he abandoned it and advanced upon the town.

On arriving at the thoroughfare, he was met by the 5th Regiment, command by Col. Jacques Louis.

At the word "halt," he dashed his horse upon citizen Heureguez, chief

of Gen. Herard's staff; whereupon he

was immediately shot and killed by a

soldier named Regis—Dalzon's escort of

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struction of furniture and moveable prop-

erty, but, from the rapid progress of the

flames, we judge it must amount to a very

considerable sum.

Loss of the Steamer Sarah Barnes.—

By the arrival of the schr. Caroline, Capt. Arnet, from Vera Cruz, viz the Sabine river, where she touched eight days ago, we are informed of the loss of the steamer Sarah Barnes, Capt. Frankland, from Galveston to this port, eight miles to the westward of the Sabine river.

We regret to say that the greater part of the passengers and crew are supposed to have perished. The boat and cargo, consisting chiefly of cotton, are a total lost.

This melancholy news, although it comes to hand in an authentic shape, is nevertheless quite unsatisfactory as regards the particulars of the loss of human life.

Capt. Arnet was unable to furnish

any information on this head, nor could

he give the precise date when the Sarah Barnes was lost. It is reported that Capt. Frankland was among the missing.

The Caroline picked up two bales of cotton belonging to the cargo of the Sarah Barnes. We are not aware of the amount of insurance effected either on the boat or cargo.—N. O. Bee 16th inst.

LYNCING IN RANKIN.—The item sub-

joined is from the Raymond Farmer, Oct.

6. "We have before us a letter from Brandon, dated the 28th ult., giving an

account of an outrageous act of lynching committed in that neighborhood on the 27th. A black fellow named Dave Gridley, had been for some weeks com-

mitting many depredations upon the prop-

erty of the citizens, when he was at

length caught with the assistance of dogs

and delivered to a guard. Subsequently,

he was taken from the guard in the night,

dragged into the woods, and hung. His

body was then thrown into an old house,

which was set on fire and burnt, together

with the body. It is not known who the

perpetrators of this outrage were"—Jack

son (Miss.) Reformer.

LATER FROM CANTON.

The Canton ship Paul Jones, arrived at New York, has brought advices to the 17th of June. We subjoin the following intelligence from the summary of the New York American :

There was considerable sickness at Hong Kong, particularly in the garrison and among the shipping in the harbor. In consequence of an informality in the papers of the schooner Ariel, of Boston, she was detained for some time at Amoy. Com. Kearney, of the U. S. ship Constellation, certified that the schooner was not entitled to carry the U. S. flag. She was therefore sent back to Macao, and on the same day Com. Kearny issued the following order :

To American Merchants and others :

All persons having goods, merchandise or treasure to ship from one port to another on this coast, are hereby cautioned against intrusting the same on board any vessel in the "opium trade" sailing under the flag of the United States of North

Indies.

Dated on board U. S. frigate Constellation, harbor of Amoy, coast of China, this the 18th day of May, A. D. 1843.

[Signed] L. KEARNEY,

Commanding the U. S. Squadron in East Indies.

On the arrival of the schooner at Macao

Mr. Fraser (to whom it had been trans-

ferred by former owners in Boston,) wrote to Mr. Sturgis, the U. S. Consul at Macao, to know what was the infor-

mality in her papers; to which Mr. Sturgis answered that he could not tell,

"they being of such tenor as those generally held by vessels sold abroad." The Canton Press says that Mr. Fraser will bring the matter before a tribunal in the United States in a suit for damages against Com. Kearny.

The Press adds that there are several vessels in the China Seas, trading under the American flag, with papers like those of the Ariel. The Press of the 10th of June says—"Two weeks ago we erroneously stated that the U. S. ship Constellation had returned to Hong Kong she is probably on the Coast if she has not sailed for South America, as was the expressed intention of Com. Kearny on leaving Amoy."

The Canton Press of the 17th June (the latest date) states that the Imperial Commissioner, Keing, failed to keep the appointment he had made with the English Commissioner at Hong Kong, on the 10th of June, for the purpose of ratifying the treaty, and the rumor was that the Chinese Commissioner was about to insist upon meeting the English Commissioner, somewhere midway between Kong Kong and Canton. On the other hand, every preparation has been made to receive the Imperial Commissioner at Hong Kong—a house having been retained for him, a spacious hall built for the exchange of the important documents, and preparations made for a splendid entertainment.

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The General Assembly.

The Legislature of this State, will commence its October session at South Kingston on Monday next.—At this session the votes given for members of Congress at the late election will be received and counted, and the election of two new members of the Assembly will probably be ordered to fill the places of Messrs Cranston and Potter elected to Congress.

State Elections.

TENNESSEE.—Hon. Ephraim H. Foster, of Nashville and Spencer Jarnagin, Esq., of McMinn county, were on the 11th inst. elected U. S. Senators from the State of Tennessee—the former till March 4th, 1845; the latter till March 4th, 1847.

The vote was 54 (all the Whigs, 14 Senators, 40 Representatives) for Foster and Jarnagin, 32 for ex-Gov. Carroll, (Dem.) and 8 scattering.

Messrs Foster and Jarnagin were the Whig candidates in the last Legislature. Mr Foster was the Whig Senator in 1838, but resigned rather than obey the instructions of the Legislature.

NEW JERSEY.—The new Legislature of New Jersey assembled at Trenton on Tuesday, when James Patterson of Monmouth was chosen Vice President of the Council and Alex. Bayles of Sussex, Secretary; Robert Shay of Warren, Sergeant-at-Arms. Mr Taylor of Cumberland was chosen Speaker of the House (34 to 21.) J. M. Newell of Cumberland, Clerk, Wm. Napier of Trenton Doorkeeper—all Democrats. It was doubtful whether James S. Green of Princeton or Mr Haines of Sussex would be Governor.

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The Supreme Court has been principally occupied with license cases and other matters of small importance the greater part of which should never have passed beyond a Police Court. Some legislation should be had to relieve the highest Court from the consideration of these cases.—*Providence Journal.*

Alarming Condition of the Frontier.

TENNESSEE.—Hon. Ephraim H. Foster, of Nashville and Spencer Jarnagin, Esq., of McMinn county, were on the 11th inst. elected U. S. Senators from the State of Tennessee—the former till March 4th, 1845; the latter till March 4th, 1847.

The vote was 54 (all the Whigs, 14 Senators, 40 Representatives) for Foster and Jarnagin, 32 for ex-Gov. Carroll, (Dem.) and 8 scattering.

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COTROS.—The weather has put a stop to the farther maturing of the cotton crop in this State. We yesterday conversed with planters from the interior, who inform us that the frost, for a few nights past, has been very severe—so much so that all the unmatured balls have been killed.

Colonel Young, from Scriven, tells us that on Wednesday morning he saw ice which had been formed in a bucket attached to his well, of the thickness of paper.—*Savannah Republican*, Oct. 20.

RARE BIRDS.—We learn from the U. S. Gazette, that Capt. Taylor, of the schooner Kathleen, at Philadelphia, from the coast of Africa, has brought with him three "Crown birds" from the interior of that country. In appearance, they somewhat resemble a crane or stork, but have very handsome plumage, and carry themselves with much grace. The top of the head is crowned with a tuft of soft spear like feathers, very fine and diverging in every direction.

WINTER.—The Albany Evening Journal of Tuesday says snow commenced falling quite steadily about 10 o'clock on Sunday night, and continued until noon of that day. The air was raw and ever thing wore a wintry look.

We learn from the New Haven Courier that James C. Whitmore was tried and convicted at the Supreme Court in that city, on Monday, of forgery, in passing as genuine, a navy order, for the payment of money, proportioning to be signed by the officers of the New York Navy Yard.

BRIGHTON MARKET, Monday, Oct. 16. Reported for the Boston Daily Advertiser.

At Market, 1500 Beef Cattle, 1100 Stores, 3800 Sheep, and 1750 Swine.

PRICES—*Beef Cattle*.—We quote a few extra 450: First quality \$4 a 4 25; second quality 3 75; third quality, 2 50 a 3 50.

Barreling Cattle.—Mess 3 25: No. 1, 2 50; No. 2, 82.

Sleeps.—Small lots were sold from 75c to 1 42. Wethers from 1 25 to \$2.

Swine.—Prime lots to peddle 4 1/2c for Sows, and 5 1/2c for Barrows. Ohio Hogs, large 3 3/2 and 3 1/4c. At retail from 5 to 6 1/2c.

MARRIED.

In Providence, on Thursday last, Mr. James Green, to Miss Sarah P., daughter of Captain Wm. Martin, all of Providence.—On Monday last, Mr. George F. Gladding to Miss Sarah A., daughter of the late Capt. Oliver Earle, all of L.

MARSHAL BERTRAND.—We learn from the Albany Argus that Gen. Bertrand arrived in that city by the afternoon train from the West on Saturday, exchanged salutations with Gov. Bouck and a few other citizens, and left in the evening boat with the intention of spending the Sabbath with ex-President Van Buren at Lindenwald. Monday it was his design to proceed to Boston, Tuesday to visit Lowell, and thence to New York, where he will probably pass a few days, and then visit West Point. His route afterwards is a matter of some uncertainty.

MURDER.—A young man named John Barnett, was murdered near Attica, in Fountain county, Indiana, about 7th instant. The murdered man was found nearly half a mile north of the town, a few yards from the road. He had been shot near the heart, and two holes were found under the left shoulder. In the course of the day he had been making an exhibition of his money through the town, showing a roll of State scrip, with some specie. No doubt he has been murdered for his money.

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EXTENSIVE LOSS.—Mr. Bouce, who is in the employ of Wm. Brobst, was returning from the North River Bank, and after leaving the Post office he discovered that a package containing \$5000, in Bank notes of the above Bank, was missing. He supposes that it must have been taken from his pocket. The notes were of the denomination of 1s, 2s, 3s, 10s, 20s and 50s, all new bills.

N. Y. Tribune.

The sloop of War Dale, arrived at Philadelphia yesterday in 79 days from Valparaiso, having on board the body of Commodore Claxton. The Dale has been absent three years.

The frigate United States, bearing the pennant of Commodore Jones, sailed from Callao for the Sandwich Islands about the 20th of June, to be joined there by

SUNDAY, Oct. 22d.

Sch's Hornet, Paddleford, fm Taunton for

New York; Hope, George, fm Providence for

Yorke, Townsend, fm do; Junius, Cobb, Howes, Dennis; Wave, Snow, Harwich, all for New York; Star, Crowell, Dennis; and Amy W. Leeds,

Providence, both for Philadelphia; Delaware, Snow, Philad. for New Haven; Fairfield, Pierce, Salem; and Deborah Ann Somers, Powell, Prov., both for New York; Niagara, Lovett, Boston for Albany.

Sloops Clio, Tucker, fm Pawtucket for Brookhaven; Hardscrabble, Davis, Prov. for New York; Fall River, Chace, Somerset for do.

ARRIVED.

SATURDAY, Oct. 21.

Brigs Relief, Hutchins, from Steuben for

Philadelphia; Apthor, Hermer, Boston for

Elizabeth City, N. C.

Sch's Cardinal, Dimond, fm New York for

Salem; Page, Nickerson, Boston; John B.

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Srig Rowena, Williams, fm Freetown for

New York.

Sch's Lenity, Dickley, fm Providence for

do; Herald, Stoder, fm do for Albany; H. W.

Terry, fm Fall River for New York; Craven, Godfrey, fm Dighton; Harriet, Freshy, fm Taunton for do.

Slops Ellen, Ferry, fm New Bedford for

New York; Index, Gibbs, fm do for do.

TUESDAY, Oct. 24th.

Slops New London, Smith, fm New Lon-

don for Fall River; with the cargo of the

late William Thurston, and the residence

of Gov. Collins in Middletown, a Pocket

Book containing about \$95 in bills of the

Newport Exchange Bank and several pa-

pers of no value to any one but the owner.

Whoever has found the same and will leave

it at this Office, shall receive the above re-

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October 25, 1843.

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Poetry.

From the London Athenaeum.

The Poet's Path.

BY FRANCIS BROWN.

The poet's path of old, it passed
By Grecian grove and hill;
And through the wrecks of war and time
We trace its splendour still;
For there the ancient temples rose,
As at the thrilling call
Of that Egyptian wanderer's lyre
Arose the Theban wall.

And since o'er many a distant shore
That starry path hath shone;
For gleaming through the Polar night,
It cheered the frozen zone.
The old crusaders saw it shone
Through realms of Eastern bloom,
And the wanderers of the Western woods
Amid their leafy gloom.

But, like the ocean doomed, who sought
The happy isles of yore,
The feet that seek that pleasant path
May turn aside no more;
For tuneful lips that once have quaffed
The bright Castalian rill,
Though never more they taste the wave,
Will wander by it still.

As he who traversed lands of old—
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So hearts that early leave the dust
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AUDLEY CLARKE.
Newport May 6.

any town of this Colony, in which they inflict a penalty of Ten pounds for every such offence or for the want thereof, imprisonment not exceeding three months or to be whipt not exceeding 39 stripes.
(To be Continued.)

TO LET.

 THE house known as the Olyphant House, opposite the Moravian Church; it has been thoroughly repaired inside and out—painted and papered throughout. Apply to SAMUEL B. VERNON, or STEPHEN CAHOONE.

July 22.

TO LET.

 THAT pleasant and commodious Dwelling-House, in Washington-street, owned and formerly occupied, by Hon. Wm. Hunter.—The Estate is in excellent repair and has been occupied for the last five years by Miss Goff as a Boarding-House.—It has a large yard, garden, and an unfailing well of water. It will be Let for One or more years.—For terms, &c. apply to

BENJAMIN FINCH

Newport, March 13.

TO LET.

And possession given immediately.

 THE Dwelling House, corner of Spring and Cannon streets, formerly occupied for many years, by the late Mrs. E. G. Phillips. It contains a number of lodging rooms, well arranged for a Boarding House, with a good well of water in the cellar, and has an out Kitchen and Stable on the premises. For terms apply to

AUDLEY CLARKE.

Newport May 6.

HOUSE FOR SALE.

 THE Subscriber offers for Sale, his House and Lot, situated in the central part of Broad street, occupied by

F. Carr.—The House is a substantial, well built structure, two stories high, 35 feet in length, by 30 in breadth with an addition to the rear also two stories, high, and 18 feet by 12 in dimension together with a wood house, rain water cistern, and a well of good water. The Lot is spacious, being 90 feet on Broad street, and running back upwards of 250 feet, and covered with a variety of fruit and ornamental trees.—The whole forms a most eligible residence for a private family, or may for a small amount be converted into a convenient Boarding House.

W.M. G. HAMMOND.

FOR SALE.

 A FARM about two miles from the Court House in Newport, on the west side of the road leading to Bristol Ferry and the Stone Bridge, containing 116 1/2 acres, with a large two story dwelling house, a large barn and other convenient out buildings, an excellent well of water and two young orchards just beginning to bear. A minute description is unnecessary, as any one disposed to purchase will please examine for themselves. Terms of payment easy. For further information enquire of the subscriber.

DAVID BUFFUM.

Middletown, 9th mo. 30th, 1843.

House and Land For Sale.

 THE subscriber wishes to sell her estate in Portsmouth, R.I., viz:—A new and convenient dwelling House and out buildings, and two acres of land beautifully situated about six miles from Newport on the road leading to the Glen, within a few rods of Mrs. Durfee's Tea-House. The House is one story high with six rooms on the floor and well finished throughout, the land and fixtures are in excellent order. Any person wishing to purchase will examine for themselves. The terms will be made easy.

SARAH C. GRINNELL.

Portsmouth, Sept. 23, 1843.

HOUSE FOR SALE.

 THE estate corner of Thames and Marlborough streets, occupied by J. W. Allan. For terms enquire of

EDWARD T. ALLAN.

July 1.

TO LET.

The office in the second story of the South Wing of the Rhode Island Union Bank Building. For terms apply at the Bank.

April 22.

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And Immediate Possession given.

THE HOUSE at the north end of Thames Street, adjoining the House of Wm. Stevens.

ALSO

A House in Middletown, on the Farm of the subscriber, pleasantly situated on the West Road. For terms apply to

STEPHEN T. NORTHAM.

April 16.

For Sale,

House No. 224, corner of Thames and Sanford streets, near the north end of Main Street. Apply to the subscriber in Tiverton, or JONATHAN T. ALMY, Esq. in Newport and at the office of the New- port Mercury.

JAMES STEVENS.

May 20, 1843.

STORAGE.

In Stores on the Long Wharf, apply to Oct. 7.

HENRY BULL.

NEWPORT

STEAM Planing, Sawing & Grist MILL.

THIS establishment is now in successful operation, in Bull street, and prepared to execute all kinds of work usually done at similar concerns.

The PLANING MACHINE is new; and, possessing advantages over most of the machines in use at the present day, is prepared to furnish specimens of work, equal at least to those of any other establishment in the United States.

CIRCULAR, and UPRIGHT Saws, for splitting boards, plank and timber, and fitting various kinds of lumber for carpenters' use, are also attached.

The GRIST MILL comprises two pair of French Burr Mill Stones, which are now in such high repute and general use throughout the country.

It can hardly be expected in first starting an establishment of this kind, in this place, that the patronage will be sufficient to warrant the hope of steady employ, and that the public may depend upon having work done at stated times, without disappointment, we propose to start the mill every Tuesday morning, and keep it running three days in each week—say Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—and occasionally other days of the week, as circumstances may require.

In thus establishing what we believe has been long needed in Newport, and which all must acknowledge to be a great benefit to the public, individually and at large, both by securing to our townsmen the employment which has heretofore been bestowed upon the mechanics of other places, and effecting within our own community what we have been dependent for upon every community in the neighborhood, we need only ask of our townsmen such encouragement as the merits of our concern may entitle us to expect.

PECKHAM, BULL & CO.

June 24.

UNTIL further notice the Mail stage will leave Providence for Warren, Bristol and Newport, every morning (Sundays excepted) at nine o'clock A. M., and arrive in Newport at two o'clock P. M. A Mail stage will also leave Newport for Providence via Bristol and Warren, at 5 o'clock, A. M. and arrive in Providence at 2 o'clock P. M., in time to take the Stonington Cars for New York, the cars for Boston, and the stages for Woonsocket and Coventry. This is the most direct and expeditious stage route between Providence and Newport, and passengers will find this line may rest assured that every attention will be paid to render the ride as comfortable as possible.

The coaches are in good order—good horses and careful and obliging drivers. There is now a new horseboat at Bristol Ferry which makes the crossing much more expeditious and pleasant than formerly.

EXTRA horses and coaches furnished in either place at short notice.

Books kept in Providence at the Manufacturers and Franklin Hotels; at Coles in Warren, Jones' in Bristol, and at Hazard's and Townsend's in Newport.

G. R. KINNICKUTT, Providence, S. MASON, Jr. Warren J. CHADWICK, Bristol, JOHN G. WEAVER, Newport, Pro- prietors.

Oct. 22, 1842.

CHARLES COTTON.

Newport Oct. 15, 1842.

SAMUEL W. BUTLER,

M. D. and SURGEON,

OFFICE, NO. 62 THAMES STREET.

MEDICINES

of all kinds at 62 Thames street.

Newport, Feb. 18, 1843.

CANCERS, WENS AND TUMOURS.

cured without the use of the knife.

DANIEL HARDY.

continues to practice with roots and herbs, for the cure of the above named and other disorders which flesh is heir to. Ample references to those who have been cured by him, within eighteen months, past.

Middleton Sept. 23 1843.

REFERENCES.

Gideon Peckham cured of a Wen and Cancer. James Wyatt, —Wife cured of insanity. Geo. P. Anthony, cured of Salt Rheum. Peckham Anthony cured of a Wen. Sarah Anthony, cured of a Dropsey. Zoo Peckham and her son, cured of Cancer.

And upwards of 200 more references for cures can be given.

At the Sign of the "Good Samaritan,"

NO. 92 THAMES STREET.

JUDG'D RECEIVED

From Boston in addition to the former Stock of

Medicine Dye Stuff's and Perfumery,

Extract of Rose, Do do Orange, Do do Honey, Do do Bergamot, Do do Myrtle, Do do Magnolia, Do do Woodbine, Milk of Roses, Balm of Columbia, Macassar, Buffalo, Bears, & Anique Oil, for the hair,

French Lotion for chapped hands.

Cold Cream and Lip Salve,

German, French & American Cologne,

Sir James Murry's Fluid Magnesia,

Henry's Calcined Magnesia,

English, Winsor, and other soaps,

Edes, Kidders, & Paysons Indelible Ink.

ALSO, Medicine Chests, for Families, or Vessels, and a general assortment of Medicine, warranted of the first quality.

For sale as above.

CHARLES COTTON.

Newport Oct. 15, 1842.

SPENCER'S

PILLS, SYRUP, and PLASTER.

THE numerous proofs daily received of the utility of SPENCER'S VEGETABLE PILLS, not only from professional men, but also from individuals, previously unknown to the proprietor, many of them guardians and trustees of youth, who speak from personal knowledge, together with the rapid sale, completely satisfies him that he has not been deceived.

Those recommendations have fully sustained it as a certain cure for the headache, as also a sure remedy for many other complaints if used according to the directions which accompany them.

For sale by MARY TILLEY, No. 49

Spring street.

LUCINA CORDIAL.

MAGNIN'S LUCINA CORDIAL, for the sure and speedy cure of incipient consumption, barrenness, impotency, leucorrhœa or whites, gleet, obstructed, difficult or painful menstruation, incontinence of urine, or involuntary discharge thereof, and for the general prostration of the system no matter whether the result, of inherent causes, or of caused produced by irregularity, illness, or accident.

The wide spread celebrity of this wonderful and inestimable cordial in both hemispheres is a sufficient guarantee for its quick and positive success in curing all the above afflictions and complaints. Nothing can be more surprising than its invigorating effects on the human frame. Persons all weakness and lassitude be- come robust and full of energy under its influence. It immediately counteracts the nervelessness or looseness of the female frame, which is the only cause of barrenness, and which, prior to Dr. Magnin's discovery, was considered to be incurable.

And it speedily removes the impediments produced by prostration, which frequently deter men from getting married. Language, indeed, cannot do justice to the merits of the Lucina Cordial, which is regarded by the heads of the faculty in all parts of the world as one of the most important medical discoveries of any age. Price \$3 per bottle. Sold at No. 142

Thames Street, Newport.

March 18.

PHYSIOLOGICAL

MYSTERIES and REVELATIONS.

IN

Love, Courtship, and Marriage:

An infallible Guide-Book for married and single persons, in matters of the utmost importance to the Human Race.

BY EUGENE BECKLARD, M. D.

For sale at No. 142 Thames Street

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March 18.

PERFUMERY.

A N assortment of choice perfumery, consisting of a great variety of Fancy Soaps, Guerlain's & Ring's Shaving Cream, French and German Cologne, Lavender Water, Edes Hedyonna and Verbena extracts—Sassay's celebrated handkerchief perfumes—Kesam Soap, Bear's Grease, Ox Marrow Pommade, April 29.]

R. J. TAYLOR'S.

July 1.

PEACH & ROSE WATER,

Preston's Extracts of

Rose and Lemon.

For sale by R. J. TAYLOR.

July 29.

WILLOW CARRIAGES and CRADLES,

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